

## House Resolution No. 171

**Whereas**, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has distinguished himself as a leader of his community; and

**Whereas**, Tim Blattner, an esteemed resident of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, has been chosen to receive the Award of Distinction, a most impressive accolade to be presented to him by the Cape Girardeau Vision 2020 Council on January 25, 2005, at Southeast Missouri Hospital; and

**Whereas**, the Awards of Distinction salute those organizations and individuals whose conscientious support of Vision 2020 and devoted service will be of long-lasting significance to the quality of life in Cape Girardeau; and

**Whereas**, a Representative of the River Heritage Mural Association, Tim Blattner has enjoyed recognition by leading the River Heritage Mural Association group in creating an historical mural along the river wall in Cape Girardeau which will include a reading rail to explain each mural; and

**Whereas**, Tim Blattner is known for his outstanding ability to organize this project with tasks consisting of selecting artists, making lodging arrangements for their stay, and consistently monitoring the project to assure a successful completion; and

**Whereas**, Tim Blattner's involvement with this project has guaranteed the quality of the murals which add beauty to downtown Cape Girardeau, as well as remind everyone of the areas rich cultural heritage; and

**Whereas**, Tim Blattner is an uncommon leader who can be described by his peers as dedicated, devoted, hardworking, and visionary — traits which make true leaders:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty and robust congratulations to Tim Blattner at this proud moment of well-deserved recognition, and in wishing him only the very best of success in all his future endeavors; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Tim Blattner.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Nathan D. Cooper  
District No. 158

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 171, adopted January 20, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker